

REMARKS

In response to the aforementioned Office Letter, the applicant has amended those claims objected to because of alleged informalities with respect to the language "in advance of". Although the applicant intended that language to, and it is believed that this language indicates that, a destination is in advance of, that is beyond the end of the line element, the applicant has nevertheless amended the claims to recite the term "beyond" in place of "in advance of". This would appear to obviate any objection under 35 USC 112.

With regard to the objection to the drawings, the Examiner indicated that the drawings must show each and every feature. Please note on Figure 6 that there is an illustration with a bottle pointing in a direction toward an elongate element identified as "Wait Here". Please note in Figure 7(a) and in Figure 8 there is an illustration in one substrate section followed by words "in a following substrate section," which again apponts to the end of the line position. Finally, please note the footprints 148 in Figure 14, as well as the same indicators with arrows in Figure 15. Please also note the footprints in Figure 19. Thus, it is believed that these figures amply provide support for the language in the claims.

This amendment only amends the claims to avoid alleged informalities and does not change the scope of the claims. Moreover, it seeks to place this case in better condition for

appeal. Therefore, entry of this amendment is respectfully solicited.

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